

DHS Component Actions Report
Post-Tropical Cyclone IRMA – Southeast US
0600 ET, 13 Sep 2017

Updates in Blue

Overview

As of 0200 ET, the threat of heavy rainfall and flash flooding from Irma is over. The remnants of Irma will weaken in drier air over the Ohio and Tennessee Valleys today; producing only a half inch to an inch of rainfall. In Florida, significant river flooding will continue across northern and central portions of the state. Major, with local areas of record flooding will continue to impact homes, businesses and state/county roads. Many locations will crest today; however some of the slower responding basins may not crest until later in the week. Most rivers will drop below major flood stage by later this week. The North Fork of Black Creek in Clay County, Santa Fe River in Gilchrist County and Peace River in Desoto County may remain in major flood stage into next week.

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)

- NRCC Level I.
- National IMAT-East 1 arrived at Florida EOC.
- National IMAT-East 2 arrived at Florida EOC.
- 1,352 (-62) US&R personnel deployed or preparing to deploy in support of IRMA response and recovery.
- A total of 2,092 responders (+49) are on the ground in support of IRMA response and recovery.
- Surge staffing continues for FEMA Strategic Workforce Augmentation Team for taking calls from three National Processing Service Centers, FEMA pop-ups, Headquarters, Regions, and from home; 3,579 (-751) call center agents are expected to be online today.
- Mobile Emergency Response Support and Mobile Communications Operations Vehicles are deployed in support of multiple IMATs, US&R missions, National Disaster Medical System, and Incident Support Bases (ISBs).
- DHS Surge Capacity Force Deployment Status:

Component	Deployed	Requested	Available
CBP	105	0	737
USCG	47	0	956
DHS HQ	98	8	849
FLETC	41	0	47
ICE	72	0	178
TSA	558	0	2,021
USSS	15	0	27
USCIS	561	383	1006
TOTAL	1,497	391	5,821

Customs and Border Protection (CBP)

- CBP has saved 5 lives to date.
- CBP has 239 personnel deployed in support of IRMA response/recovery.
- All CBP personnel are accounted for.
 - Caribbean (Bahamas): 44 personnel evacuated.
 - United States Virgin Islands (USVI): 6 personnel evacuated.
 - Puerto Rico: 4 personnel evacuated.
 - CBP Florida: 297 personnel evacuated. All major airports are fully operational.
- Impact to CBP Operations:
 - Freeport connectivity could not be established due to power issues.
 - No impacts to Caribbean and Puerto Rico operations.
 - St. John/St. Thomas reports damage to facilities. Resolution time is unknown. Air Marine Operations is assisting with impact assessments.
 - The San Juan Disaster Assistance Recovery Team unit arrived at 1400 ET on 12 Sep to support security, relief, response, recovery, and business resumption in St. Thomas.
- St. Croix: no impact to operations. Response/Recovery Missions
 - 67 rescue and logistical missions have been completed to date.
- A total of 500 public safety radios were deployed to FEMA Regions II and IV.

Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE)

- ICE Personnel Status:
 - Unaccounted For Employees: 0
 - Displaced Personnel: 21 (-12)
- HSI Offices:
 - HSI San Juan
 - There are 51 employees without power and potable water.
 - Established an Emergency Response Coordination Center to assist out of the St. Thomas office.
 - HSI has deployed 6 agents, 1 vehicle, 3 all-terrain vehicles, 5 power generators, fuel, MREs, water, tarps, extension cords, multi plugs, and miscellaneous equipment to St. Thomas.
 - HSI Miami
 - Power has been restored.
 - All employees accounted for with no reported injuries.
 - Displaced personnel: 3 (-12)
 - HSI Tampa
 - All employees accounted for with no reported injuries.
 - ERO Miami
 - All employees accounted for with no reported injuries.
- Office of Professional Responsibility (OPR)
 - All OPR employees are accounted for.
- Office of the Principal Legal Advisor

- San Juan, PR Office of Chief Counsel will open today.
 - All employees in affected areas are accounted for.
- Office of the Chief Information Officer
 - 35 out of 39 OCIO staff are accounted for; 4 did not respond to ENS.
- Management & Administration
 - All employees are accounted for.
 - Displaced Personnel: 16
- Office of Human Capital
 - All four employees in FL and SC are accounted for.

Transportation Security Administration (TSA)

- TSA has deployed 284 (-12) personnel to various locations in Florida in support of IRMA response.
- Personnel accountability in the Caribbean area of operations is reported at 100%.
- Personnel accountability in Florida is reported at 95%.
- Personnel displaced:
 - Miami FAMS Field Office: 26 employees displaced.
 - Orlando FAMS Field Office: 4 employees displaced.
 - Fort Lauderdale (FLL): 10 employees displaced.
 - Fort Meyers (RSW): 8 employees displaced.
- St. Thomas (STT): TSA reports 92 of 94 employees have been accounted for.
- St. Thomas (STT): TSA offices sustained major damage; screening equipment has yet to be verified.
- Saint Thomas (STT) airport is closed. Fence line repairs are complete. The Air Traffic Control Tower is condemned due to structural damage.
- St. Thomas assessment will begin on 12 Sep in conjunction with CBP and FEMA.
- St. Croix (STX): open for emergency flights.
- Rafael Hernandez (BQN): open with reduced capacity.

U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS)

- Communication equipment and supplies will be transported to USCIS personnel on St. Thomas and St. Croix via San Juan Field Office.
- All USCIS employees have been contacted and are safe.
- Havana embassy/offices have sustained some damage and are closed.
- USVI offices now closed.
- San Juan (SAJ) has no reported damage and is open.
- Florida D9 & 10 offices and ASC will be closed through Thursday, 14 Sep.
- District 8 Atlanta FO and Charleston FO will be closed 12-13 Sep.
- ZMI asylum office closed through Thursday, 14 Sep.

U.S. Coast Guard (USCG)

- Accountability of Coast Guard Personnel:
 - Puerto Rico/USVI: 99.9%
 - Florida: 93%
 - South Carolina & Georgia: 89%
- 1,283 (+672) (does not include cutter crews) USCG personnel are responding to Irma.
- The USCG has saved/assisted 281 (+154) lives.

- USCG continuing SAR response in areas of heavy surge waters, completing assessments of critical ports, and continuing efforts to assess and respond to damage.
- Ports Closed: [Key West](#), [Miami](#), [Jacksonville \(JAX\)](#), and [Savannah](#).
- Ports open: San Juan, Charleston, [Panama City and Pensacola](#).
- Ports open with restrictions: Port Everglades, St. Thomas, St. Croix, Pensacola, [Port Canaveral](#), [Manatee and Tampa](#).

U.S. Secret Service (USSS)

- On 8 Sep, the USSS issued a Personnel Evacuation Order for the states of Florida, Georgia, and South Carolina.
- Jacksonville FO (JAX) / Tallahassee RO (TAL):
 - JAX and TAL have closed as of 8 Sep.
 - All JAX FO personnel are accounted for.
 - No damage to personnel or property.
- Miami FO (MIA):
 - [Office has reopened](#).
 - All personnel are accounted for.
- Orlando FO (ORL):
 - [Office has reopened](#).
- Savannah FO (SAV):
 - [Power has been restored](#).
 - SAV closed on 8 Sep.
 - All personnel accounted for.
- Tampa FO (TPA):
 - [TPA has reopened](#).
 - TPA and Fort Myers RO (FTM) closed on 8 Sep.
 - All personnel are accounted for.
 - No damage to physical office spaces; power, landline and internet are down.
- Miscellaneous:
 - The San Juan office has reopened.
- [USSS deployed 500 public safety radios to FEMA for Regions II and IV](#).

National Protection and Programs Directorate (NPPD)

- NCCIC:
 - The Disaster Information Reporting System (DIRS) is active for Puerto Rico, USVI, and Florida.
- Federal Protective Service (FPS):
 - All personnel are safe and accounted for.
 - 515 (of 868) federal facilities in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, South Carolina, and the U.S. Virgin Islands are closed.
 - Conducted GSA/FPS facility damage assessments, main observations being power outage resulting in unsecure doors and damage to perimeter fences/gates.

Domestic Nuclear Detection Office (DNDO)

- DNDO has no personnel in the affected region.
- All Mobile Detection Deployment Units (MDDU) are available to support operations as required.
- DNDO is standing by to support any CBP system replacement or repair needs, as required.

Federal Law Enforcement Training Center (FLETC)

- FLETC campus in Brunswick, GA remains without power.
- FLETC Glynco, GA [remains closed due to extensive flooding, downed trees and no electricity. Basic training may resume on 25 September.](#)
- FLETC Charleston, SC [may resume training on 18 September.](#)